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APPLN. NO.: 10/677,775 EXAMINER: San Juan, Martin Jeriko P.

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TITLE: ENABLING AND DISABLING SOFTWARE FEATURES

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION DATED SEPTEMBER 10, 2007

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action mailed September 10, 2007 concerning the above-identified application and is timely filed within the three month shortened statutory period for a response. This reply is provided in response to the Office Action in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.111, 37 CFR § 1.115, or 37 CFR § 1.116. Applicant submits the following amendment and remarks and respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider the rejections made in the Office Action and to allow the claims to issue.

Please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.